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PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No. 15436.247.38.1

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

DiJaili et al.

Serial No.: 10/017,200

Filed: December 14, 2001

For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR WAVELENGTH  
CONVERSION USING A VLSOA**

Confirmation No.: 6418

Customer No.: 022913

Examiner: Nelson Moskowitz

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this Amendment in response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed February 27, 2004. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.**